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PRESS MEMORANDUM

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

The Governor has vetoed Senate Bill 414, by Latimer, because it has been held unconstitutional by the Attorney General, who stated in an opinion that the bill contravenes Section 56, Article III of the Constitution. The bill pertains to compensation of employees of certain county and precinct officials in counties of not less than 500,000 inhabitants, nor more than 610,000, and the Justice precincts in such counties having a population of not less than 300,000 and who are compensated on a salary basis, etc.